

JUST GLEANINGS

SCOTS UNCOVER NEW MONSTER

MACHIRIHANISH, Scotland — A fur-covered sea monster, more than 20 feet long, with enormous eyes and feet, resembling those of a giant ape, was washed up recently on the Atlantic coast near Campbeltown. It is thought to have been killed during naval exercises or in an action in the Atlantic.

NO WASTE MILK

There is no waste milk in Canada. WPCF states users of the residue from manufacture of butter, cheese, evaporated milk and whole milk powder. Milk sugar is used to make penicillin, baby foods and some medicine tablets. Canals is used to manufacture aircraft glue. Skin and wool feed livestock.

WAR PICTURES TO BE SHOWN AT CARBON ON OCTOBER 18

Authentic motion pictures of action on the European battle fronts will be exhibited in this district during the week beginning October 16 when a recruiting party for the Canadian Army and C.W.A.C. visits the area, headquarters of Military District No. 15 announced today.

The Battle of Russia, "Divide and Conquer" which deals with the Nazi invasion of France, and a technicolor short, "Proudly She Marches", featuring the C.W.A.C. will be shown. Time and dates of shows in this district are as follows:

L.O.O.F. Hall, Three Hills, October 16 at 8:30 p.m.; Town Hall, Swainburg, October 17, at 8:30 p.m.; Scout Hall, Carbon, October 18, at 8:30 and 8:30 p.m.; Town Hall, Aeneas, October 19, at 8:30 and 8:30 p.m.

CSM C.H. Byers will be in charge of the recruiting party which can supply prospective recruits with information concerning the Army and Canadian Women's Army Corps.

LOCAL GIRLS IN NEW POSITIONS

Several changes were made in Carbon employment circles the first of this month. Miss Gladys Little is the new clerk in Builders' Hardware. Phyllis Hunt has accepted a position in the Farmers' Exchange, Margaret Douglas has gone to the Carbon Drug Store and Boris Tricker has accepted a position with the Bank of Montreal in town.

CROP LOSSES FROM WEEDS

Low yields of grain are frequently due to improper cultivation methods which permit weeds to grow abundantly. At harvest, the farmer should estimate the amount of crops he has lost through weed growth. At the same time a new plan of cultivation should be considered in order to prevent similar losses another year.

There is still time this season to prevent much of the weed competition in your fields for next year.

After harvest cultivation will germinate many wild oats either this fall or in early spring prior to seeding. Thistle patches should be given a last thorough cultivation, this may be all that is required to eradicate them.

A plan of attack on weeds is necessary and can be most effective when less caused by them are most noticeable.—Dept. of Agriculture.

FALL WEATHER

IS YOUR HEATER IN GOOD SHAPE ?

- 6 AND 7 INCH STOVE PIPES
- 6 AND 7 INCH ELBOWS
- 6 AND 7 INCH TAPER PIPES
- STOVE BOARDS
- STOVE CEMENT, ETC.

GET READY FOR THE COLD WEATHER

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RALPH KAEHN TURNS OVER CAR ON HILL AT DRY CANYON

Luckily None of the Passengers Injured

Ralph Kaehn had the misfortune to overturn his Dodge car on the hill at the top of the Dry Canyon, on the north road from Carbon to Drumheller last Saturday night, while coming from Drumheller.

According to information given to your reporter the lights of Mr. Kaehn's car went out as he was going up the hill and the car went over the side at a corner and into the ditch, turning over, with its wheels in the air. Mr. and Mrs. Kaehn and Mrs. C. Gwyn were in the car at the time, but fortunately none of them were injured.

The car was rolled over on its wheels and for a time stood at an almost vertical position, but it was hauled out and turned right side up. The vehicle was not seriously damaged.

Greyhound Takes Over Business Of Red Bus Lines

NEW OWNERS ASSUME CONTROL OCTOBER 6

A deal of considerable interest in this part of Alberta was completed last Thursday when the Red Bus Lines Ltd. business and franchise was sold to the Central Canadian Greyhound Lines Ltd.

The deal included all the bus lines of Red Bus Lines Ltd., but did not take in the lines in the Red Deer Valley operated out of Drumheller. This line will be carried on under a new Company known as the Valley Bus Lines Ltd.

Red Bus Lines Ltd. started from Carbon to Calgary in 1928 and after a few months was taken over by W. Poxon and Son. The business has increased year after year until it was the second largest bus line in the province, and the head office was moved in 1936 from Carbon to Drumheller, where the business has been successful.

Full change has been made so far in the bus service from Carbon to the Central Service Station, connecting with the main line, and for the present, the same time table will be followed.

Both Mr. and Mrs. W. Poxon are old timers of Carbon and their many friends will be glad to know that while they have disposed of the Red Bus Lines Ltd., they will continue to reside at Drumheller and operate the Valley Lines.

STRAWBERRIES IN OCTOBER

Mrs. J. Snell brought a sample of everbearing strawberries to the Carbon Chronicle Office on Tuesday, and the berries were almost an inch and a half in diameter, and well formed. Mrs. Snell has had strawberries all summer and fall, and the frosts do not seem to have harmed the berries, even though they have not been covered.

A WEEKLY EDITOR LOOKS AT Ottawa

Written specially for the weekly columns of Carbon by JIM GREENBLAT

The busy bee takes a hand in the war effort. We didn't think of that until we read the new book tucked away in a Department of Agriculture bulletin. It appeared to back-speak—and lots of them read this column—to conserve every scrap of beeswax possible this coming winter. Do you know that beeswax is mixable with oils and fats, plays a prominent part in the manufacture of cosmetics and creates for wounded. Glycerin is a pharmaceutical preparation for external application. Beeswax is also used in making casks, modelling pipe molds of war, and candles.

The "mavie is here" for a 77-year-old Newfoundland lady, Mrs. Margaret Price, who just recently saw her first movie by courtesy of the Royal Canadian Navy. At a rest camp in Newfie, near which she lives, she does a lot of washing and pressing for the lads and is "as invited to see the picture 'Bonnie for Victory', she thought it was 'just grand', and is sure the 'B' is here to stay.

In normal times Canada's fuel needs absorb 30 million tons of coal per year, and added to that are about ten million tons of cordwood, substantial quantities of slabswood, and thousands of tons of sawdust and mill waste.

The most satisfactory of silk substitutes, nylon, is now being produced in large enough quantities to supply the needs of the Canadian armed forces and to ship 100,000 pounds of yarn each month to the British Ministry of Aircraft Production.

Canada's export of domestic merchandise during last August was valued at \$227 million, down about \$20 million from the preceding month. It was over \$292 million the corresponding month of 1942 but in the first eight months of this year, compared to last, we were up 22 per cent.

Those who have relatives among the 448 Canadians held prisoners in Hong Kong will be glad to know that part that conditions have been fairly tolerable for them. Red Cross food and clothing parcels have recently arrived and are being distributed. Camps are well organized, and treatment is good.

CHECKING OFF THE MUSTS

NEW PROSPERITY
REPAIRS TO BUILDINGS—
NEW HOUSES—
RESERVING FOR FURNITURE—
ELECTRICITY



"The World of Wheat" Reviewed Weekly By Major H.G.L. Strange

FOOD RELIEF FOR EUROPE

The United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration—an organization set up to take relief to the people of Europe—is now starting to work. The greatest immediate need for food is in Greece, Italy and Yugoslavia. One expert stated that "The infant mortality in Rome is 50 per cent, and every tenth man or woman now walking on the streets of Rome will be a corpse before the end of the year."

The delegates from Ethiopia and France, countries which have suffered the most from Italian aggression, gave their approval of generous relief for the people of Rome and Italy.

The Food Research Institute of California tells us that in general the agricultural situation in Europe is far better than most people suppose. The main trouble, says this authority, is not so much the depletion of livestock herds as it is that animals have been poorly fed and that production from these animals has been low. Fats and dried milk will apparently be the chief need in most parts of Europe, but in certain large areas relief wheat and flour, it is expected, will be required for some time.

How fortunate it is that Canada and the United States have available supplies of agricultural products which are so desperately needed by the suffering European people.

SHOWER FOR MISS S. SCHAFER

Complimenting Miss Sally Schaffer, a bride-elect of this month, the Misses Gladys Oehlhauser and Lily Bertsch gave co-hostesses at a kitchen shower held at the home of Mrs. J.J. Oehlhauser. A mock wedding was staged with Janet Schell, dressed as a dainty bride, Reta Bertsch the nervous groom and Bernice Schell the sober faced parson. Following several games and contests, Myrna and Sandra Schell carried into the room a decorated clothes basket which was presented to Miss Schaffer. It contained a lovely enamel kitchenware. Miss Schaffer thanked all present and the enjoyable afternoon was closed with a lovely luncheon.



A deep drive into Germany, including parts of the Siegfried Line near Aachen, the opening of the Belgian parliament, and the British battle in Holland, are some of the events described in recent broadcasts by Mat-

thew Hulton, CBC War Correspondent now making his headquarters in Brussels. Hulton is heard regularly on the CBC News Roundups, Mondays to Fridays, at 6:45 p.m., on the Trans-Canada Network.

TEACHERS WANT EMERGENCY CERTIFICATES FOR ALBERTA

On October 16th the Normal Schools at Edmonton and Calgary will admit students to train for a teacher's War Emergency Certificate. The Training continues until June 8, 1945. All young people who are willing to assist in carrying on the schools of the province are invited to submit applications to the Department of Education. Deserving students with a good high school record are eligible for generous financial assistance where the need for some can be established. This will take the form of a bursary, which is a gift, not a loan; and is paid out of funds available under the Canadian Vocational Training Program.

Requirements for admission are at least 85 high school credits with at least B standing in English 2 and Social Studies 2.

Another class of students having High School Diploma standing will open on January 3, 1945, and continue until March 2nd.

All applications should be sent to the Registrar of the Department of Education.

RATION BOOK FIVE TO BE ISSUED HERE OCTOBER 17, 18, 19

Distributing Office Open From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Ration Book 5 will be issued from the Village office at Carbon next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, October 17, 18, and 19, and the office will be open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The books will be distributed by volunteer workers and in order to facilitate the work of distribution, every person applying for new books is asked to fill in the card in Ration Book 1 and leave it in the old book. This old book must then be presented before a new book will be issued.

Here are the rules issued by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board regarding the issuing of Ration Book 5:

To obtain Ration Book 5, fill in the K coupon sheet at the back of Ration Book 4, printing your name, address, prefix letters and serial number of your book. The age of children under 16 should be recorded beside the name.

Do not detach the K Coupon sheet, but present Ration Book 4, intact to your distribution center, to obtain Ration Book 5.

One adult member of a family or community may obtain new ration books for the family or neighbors providing the required information is recorded in Ration Book 4.

WARNING.—Those who neglect to pick up new ration books during distribution dates will have to wait until November.

Pink covered, ration book 5 is designed to last 50 weeks and contains 11 coupons per sheet instead of the former 16.

H. A. Hoadling of Victoria, and Bill Welcker were Carbon visitors this week.

Ross Thorburn is back in town this week after spending a few days at his farm in the Beakish district, where he was assigned to the cook car.

SCHOOL CLOTHES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

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While it is impossible to get a complete line of children's and youths' school clothing, we can still supply such items as windbreakers, sweaters, shoes, etc. Also boys' pants and shirts. Call and look over our stock.

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Victory Bonds. This conversion may be arranged during the Victory Loan with your Victory Loan salesman, with your Bank, Trust or Loan Company from whom details are available.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

YOUR WATCH AS A COMPASS

Most men who own a watch think they know all about it. They have the number of it fixed in their memory in case it is stolen. They could probably pick it out from five other watches with their eyes shut. But how many men know that their watch is a compass and will tell north from south as accurately as it will tell the time of day? Stanley the explorer did not know it until he had groped his way through the dark continent and met a Belgian sailor on the coast. Every watch is a compass. If you point the hour hand at the sun, the south is exactly half way between the hour and the figure 12 on the dial. Suppose, for instance, it is four o'clock. Point the hand indicating four to the sun and the 2 on the watch is exactly south. If it is 5 o'clock point the hand indicating 5 to the sun and the figure 10 on the dial is south. No man need get lost if he carries a watch, and the sun is at all visible.

SECRET WEAPON

The French evolved a secret weapon which has had its effect on friend and foe alike. It was a potent apple cider known as Calvados. The Germans undertook to drown their sorrow on their defeat in the stuff and came staggering out in droves, gloriously drunk, but with their hands high in the air. The Allied soldiers found that drinking Calvados was like kissing a spark plug. Drew Middleton, well-known newspaper correspondent, wrote:

"Calvados will, in the words of one soldier, blow a soft hat through a concrete ceiling. This correspondent bought a pipe in Normandy. The words, 'seventy of St. Michel,' were printed along the stem in gold letters. Dipping his finger in Calvados he wiped it over the lettering which disappeared as completely as chalk from a blackboard when you rub an eraser over it.—Exchange.

A golfing clergyman who had been beaten on the links by a parishoner thirty years his senior, had returned to the clubhouse rather disgruntled.

"Cheer up," his opponent said, "remember you win at the finish. You'll be burying me some day, I expect."

"Even then," said the preacher, "it will be your hole."

A Scotsman had been presented with a pint flask of rare Scotch whiskey. He was walking briskly along the road towards home when along came a car which he did not sidestep quite in time. It threw him down and hurt his leg quite badly. Suddenly he noticed that something warm and wet was trickling down his leg.

"Oh, Lord," he groaned, "I hope that's blood."

Sign on a flivver that went down

the street the other day: "You don't need to laugh, girls. If you had a hint rubbed off, you'd look like heck, too."

The young thing was packing her bathing suit in her bag preparatory to going to the beach. Her mother looked at it blushing. Do you think you ought to wear that when you go in bathing?" she protested.

"Why mother, of course. All the girls wear something."

Two small boys, staring in a barber shop window, earnestly looked on as the barber went over his customer's hair with a singeing torch.

"Blimey, Bill," one of them ejaculated, "he's looking for 'em wiv a light!"

"Haven't I told you to use your napkin at the table?" said mother to her young hopeful.

"Well, I'm using it, Ma," protested Ronnie, "I've got Pido tied to the leg of the table with it."

Pool Elevators Reduce Grain Handling Charges

Charges of handling all grains have been substantially reduced by Alberta Pool Elevators.

This means, in effect, an increase in the prices of grain.

This policy will be retroactive to August 1st last.

See your local Pool agent.

ALBERTA WHEAT POOL

HOLD HIGH THE TORCH OF FREEDOM



Farmers Too WAR-BUSY To Call At The Bank

Many Canadian farmers, too busily occupied on war food production to call personally at the Bank, are doing their banking by mail. They save time, as well as tires and gasoline.

Write for our folder, "How to Bank by Mail" and see how convenient and time-saving it may be for you to use the mail box for your banking—both chequing and savings accounts.

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For complete information, write for this booklet, "Back to Civil Life."

The War Service Gratuity and Re-establishment Credit— OTHER ASSISTANCE AFTER DISCHARGE

The Canadian re-establishment program gives discharged members of the services assistance under a wide variety of measures during the period when they are deciding their future as civilians.

THE WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

This became law at the last session of Parliament, and provides, after discharge, monthly payments to those honorably discharged, who enlisted for service anywhere, and to those who saw service in the Atlantic Islands, for their period of service there. It provides a basic gratuity of \$7.50 for each 30-day service in the Western Hemisphere and \$15.00 for each 30-day service overseas. A supplementary gratuity of seven days' pay and allowances, with Canadian subsistence allowance, is paid for each six months' overseas service. Service in Greenland, Iceland, the Atlantic Islands and any other theatre of war is overseas service. Other places in the Western Hemisphere are not. Aircrew, flying outside the Canadian waters, or stationed outside Canada or the United States, and Naval personnel in seagoing ships of war are regarded as overseas service.

Monthly payments not exceeding monthly pay and allowances last received will start after January 1, 1945, unless the Act is proclaimed earlier.

RE-ESTABLISHMENT CREDIT

A re-establishment credit, equal to the basic gratuity shown above, and not including the supplementary one is available in the 10 years following discharge for constructive purposes such as purchase of a home, business, furniture or tools, or payment of premiums under Government life insurance. It can also be used for modernizing or repairing a home, for working capital of a business and other similar purposes. The re-establishment credit is reduced by any grants paid while training or continuing education, or by grants paid under the Veterans' Land Act. Training, education and Veterans' Land Act grants cannot be paid if the re-establishment credit is used, unless an adjustment is made.

AT DISCHARGE

At discharge every man and woman is advised of the re-establishment program, is given a complete medical and dental examination, and may receive free treatment for any condition shown by the examination, in the year following discharge. They are allowed to retain one uniform and certain other service clothing. All discharged since August 1, 1944, receive a \$100 civilian clothing allowance and if they have 183 days' service and receive an honorable discharge, a rehabilitation grant of 30 days' pay and one month's dependents allowance. They also receive a railway warrant to their home or place of enlistment.

AFTER DISCHARGE

Service personnel seeking employment apply through Employment and Selective Service. In many offices they will find Veterans' Welfare Officers and other specially trained staff ready to assist them. Veterans who wish to return to their former civilian positions are entitled to reinstatement in that position, if the job still exists, if they are capable of filling it, and if ready to accept them. Under the law of Canada every ex-service application is made within three months of discharge. Under the law of Canada every ex-service man or woman with overseas service, or disability pensioners, receive preference in Civil Service appointments if qualified for the position for which they apply.

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REPRESENTATIVE OF RACIAL GROUP SPEAKS HIS MIND

I am a Canadian, yes, a Canadian,
born right here in the Province of
Alberta. But, the roots of my ancestry
reach far beyond Canada's shores,
reach right into the heart of war-torn
Europe.

I, therefore, have a double stake in
this war; to help preserve the freedom
of life that my forefathers were so
generously offered when they came to
Canada; and to do all possible to free
my relatives caught in the trap of
enfermal Nazism in Central Europe.

When I was a small boy, my grand
father used to tell me tales of hard-
ship, tyranny, famine, disease and
desperation that prevailed in Central
Europe a couple of generations ago.
He told me why he came to Canada.
He wanted freedom of speech. And he
found it. He wanted to worship in his
own simple way, in his own tongue.
He found this, too. He wanted to be
able to own a piece of land—he is
small or large—but a piece of land he
could proudly call his own. This he
got. He wanted to raise a family—a
happy family, free from want, free
from fear. This he did. That's where
I come in.

We are now in the sixth year of
war. This past year has been a happy
contrast to the first four. Many of
my relatives of Central Europe are
now free. Many other Europeans are

free, too. Why? Because the under-
ground populations of France, Holland,
Poland, Czechoslovakia suffered—suf-
fered unbelievably, but refused to
give up at the blackest hour... be-
cause the Russians on the home front
faced fearful odds to save their armies,
repulse the Nazi thrust at Leningrad.

How does my sacrifice stack up
against the sacrifices of those right
around me, who have lost sons, hus-
bands, fathers? Very small indeed.
Oh yes, I've invested in Victory Bonds
every time... have a fair stack of
War Savings Certificates... have been
rejected for volunteering for military
service... support all war fund drives
... have refrained from hoarding war
materials. I feel that I've done my
share... the war is nearly over. Have
enough savings to keep me going for
a while.

BUT? Suddenly I think... IS THE
WAR NEARLY OVER?

At the gates of Stalingrad, Hitler
thought Russia was his—then Eng-
land, then Canada and the United
States!

On the shores of Dunkirk, Hitler
thought England was within his
greedy grasp.

The tide turned at the right mo-
ment, thanks to the stick-to-it-iveness
of the Russians, the British.

We can't afford to think now that
the war is won. After Europe what
about Japan?

After Japan, what about the Peace

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There's much yet to be done if I
am to continue enjoying the four free-
doms that my forefathers found for
me in this Canada of ours—the four
freedoms of the British constitution
so generously offered Canada's adopt-
ed children—the four freedoms that I
continue to enjoy even today in the
sixth year of a world conflict.

Yes, there's still much to be done—
and WE CAN HELP—especially we,
who have the British constitution to
thank for being here. Let's keep this
in mind, when the VICTORY LOAN
SALESMAN CALLS.

TOM SHANDRO, Edmonton.

An enthusiastic angler was relating
a fishing story to some of his friends.

Yes, he said proudly, I caught the
biggest fish of my career last night.

It was a trout and it weighed seven
pounds and two ounces.

His small son, who had remained
interested throughout the story, now
spoke up.

Yes, and daddy was so kind. He
gave it to my little kitten.

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Sistah Jones, I've taking up a col-
lection to do benefit of our worthy
patish, exclaimed one of the brethren.
You know he's leaving us to take
a church down Mobile and we thought
we'd get together and give him a little
momentum!

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every Canadian can save and lend... more than ever before.

As the war increases in intensity, Canada's need for money
increases, too. Our country's all-over borrowing needs are
increased by over three hundred and twenty million dollars
at this time. We must each be ready to lend again, and to
lend more.

Thousands of small grains make a bushel of wheat. So with the
money that Canada must borrow, from Canadians, to pay for
the war: small sums loaned by individuals mount up to billions.

Lend all you can... money you have saved and money you can
save... but do not think that small loans are unimportant.

Put your savings into mortgages on Canada—marketable
mortgages. You will be doing a worthwhile war job... and
you will get your money back... with interest.

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farm improvements you plan to make
when the war ends... new buildings
... new machinery... better stock
... cash to pay on a new car or a
new house.*

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Problem Of How The Allied Nations Should Deal With Italy Seems Hard To Solve

ALL dealings between the Allies and the Italians have been immensely complicated ever since September by the circumstance that it has never been clear, either to us or to them, whether Italy is to be regarded as an occupied or a liberated country. This dilemma was inevitable because the truth is that Italy is neither one in between the two.

Had the Allies invaded the Balkan instead of the Italian peninsula the problem would have been simpler, at least in the case of Greece and Yugoslavia. These countries could have been treated as full-fledged Allies and given the freedom possible as long as military operations were not jeopardized. In France, too, there is full agreement that the Allied troops come in the role of liberators.

When the time comes for the occupation of Germany the situation should also be clear. The Allies will be occupying enemy country and will have every moral right to act as an occupying army. But in Italy we are dealing with a nation that is not our enemy, but now "enjoys" the status of a co-belligerent.

This dilemma is the everyday life of every one in Italy. How can soldiers who fought Italians for three years in the North African desert suddenly forget this experience and all that it meant? How can Yugoslavs and Greeks be asked to regard the allies as the Italian army committed against their people? And the British officer who fought at El Alamein will be on the streets of Rome, or even more socially, an Italian officer who fought on the other side of the same battle, except for the fact that Mussolini's African army never got back to Italy.

The government now is faced by a number of grave problems, some of them insuperable. The main one is the lack of sufficient food for the population; unemployment is rampant; by one Italian paper at 200,000 in Rome alone; inflation, and the reorganization of the army. The latter may include the question of what to do with the dismissed partisans.

The Italians have been given the freedom of the press and have frequently used it to voice criticisms of Allied policy. Even Cabinet ministers have written frankly about Italian complaints. The Allies should do more about the unsatisfactory food situation. The Allies should give the Italian lira in order to curb inflation. The Allies should give Italians, including both regular army units and partisans, a chance to express their views on the situation and the Nazis.

Typical of these complaints was the statement made recently by a socialist, Sergio Saragat, Socialist state minister, who said: "Italy has all the disadvantages of war without any of the benefits. On the one hand we have Italy fighting with her regular forces and patriots at the side of the Allies, on the other hand we are a fortunate fact that she is not invited to a conference of enormous international significance in the Bretton Woods meeting where nations having 1-20th the population of Italy were asked to sit."

There have been other occasions when prominent Italians have expressed the belief that Italy has earned the right to be treated as an ally. Allied authorities answer this by saying frankly that they do not regard Italy as an ally but as a former enemy country. To other complaints the Allies' answer is that the Italians should not blame us for the mistakes and crimes committed by the Fascists; that we are doing the best we can to feed the Italians, but that when it becomes a question of priorities war supplies come first, and that we cannot count ourselves to maintain a large Italian army at the front because, there again, supplies are the limiting factor.

Any fair-minded observer cannot help sympathizing with Italy's terrible economic plight and with the Italian government which is trying to do the responsibility without being in a position to take measures necessary to alleviate the existing conditions. At the same time he cannot criticize the Allies for insisting that the winning of the war comes first and the reconstruction and relief of Italy second. He might even be tempted to point out to the Italians that Italy, which is a kind of desert in a former enemy country, still is better off than any of our European allies, some of whom can thank Italy as well as Germany for their sufferings. From The New York Herald Tribune's Rome correspondent.

Threat To Hitler's West Wall



One of the first pictures to be released of the new British mortar tank known as the Avre (armored vehicle Royal Engineers) is shown on the move up to the front in France. It is of its striking features is a special mortar mounted in the turret called the "petard" which hurls a charge known as the "flying dustbin" and is much more powerful than any other of its size.

Restoring Cities

People In Russia Doing Everything They Can To Help

The following was written by The Canadian by Alexei Iov: A group of Canadian Army research workers spent 15 days testing five varieties of shovels in various types of soil. Before the war its population numbered 75,000 and almost all its adults were engaged in industry. Since the war the city has been treated at the hands of the Germans as all other Donbas cities. Everything was burned and destroyed. When I visited Konstantinovka last June there were street cars running from the railway station past several factories to the center; the city had electric light, water and a drainage system, and a cinema. Shortly after its liberation the people restored 13 schools and equipped several food stores. A small cottage houses the editorial offices of the city newspaper. In the center of the city, the books for which were collected by the people themselves. Moscow contributing 5,000 volumes. One house has been converted into a broadcasting center and the occupants of 1,500 apartments now can regularly listen in. By their own efforts the people are restoring another cinema and two more schools.

From the first day of their liberation the people of Konstantinovka set about improving their living conditions and concentrated on restoring their industry. The chemical, coke-chemical and glass works are now partly restored, and the latter is gradually gaining its pre-war level of production.

They also witnessed celebrations at the steel mills, where, with the aid of housewives who came to the factory during the war, one blast furnace, two open-hearth furnaces, an air blower, a 500-kilowatt power plant and other auxiliary shops and aggregates were restored. The mills are already yielding steel.

Helium gas was not found on earth until about 20 years after its discovery 93,000,000 miles away, on the sun.

"Canadian-approved" flour by men who know the ancient art from A-Z.

Following up official "wound" notification from the Casualty Service is a postcard sent with high priority rating by the soldier to re-assure the "folks at home".

Miss Americas Help Miss Canadas



Vancouver recently held its eighth Civic Stamp Day. Assisting Miss Canada Virginia Jenks, Shirley McCall and Betty Russell were the three beauty helpers in the above picture. The three elephants, appearing with the circus at a local theatre, are, according to the press, the only elephants who purchased ten dollars' worth of War Savings Stamps or Certificates received two free tickets to the circus. During the hour and a half the elephants were doing their stuff, the young Miss Canada girls sold \$700 worth of War Savings Stamps. The three four-legged beauties, Julia, Jenny and Lena, have sold about \$1,500,000 worth of War Bonds in the United States.

London Has Been One Place Where Interesting Customs Of Old Days Were Observed

(E. O. Hoppe in London Calling)

WHO knows that right up to the time of the London Blitz a night watchman went his rounds in London, with a lantern, calling the hours? A small court, named Blythe, has gates which are shut nightly at 10 o'clock, and from that hour until six in the morning one of the three watchmen, on duty in turn, paces round the cobbles calling out the hour. Until a few years ago he also announced the weather.

The war has put a stop-let us hope only temporarily—to another quaint custom. Every evening in the Temple benches were summoned to dinner by the blowing of a big horn. The custom dates back to the eleventh century, and is said to have been started because, in the days before the Thames Embankment was built, the students used to pursue their studies on the river, and the horn was blown to warn them that the dinner was nearly ready. The original horn is still preserved, mounted in gold, in the strong-room of the Temple; the one now used is comparatively new, as it was only procured in the seventeenth century. The horn had no need, however, to be worked by sheer lung-power.

Rationing Over

More than one member of the Allied forces, having escaped from a prison camp, returned to London within the precincts of the Vatican, and it is curious to find that there is still a sanctuary known as the City of London, in the Church of St. Olave in Hart Lane, Crutcheffields. Sanctuary Knockers were to be found on church doors, and the fugitive criminal who touched one was safe from civil justice. It is erroneous, however, to think that a sanctuary was just a place where the criminal could not be punished. It had very serious duties of its own. The fugitive had to confess to a priest, give up his arms, and take an Oath of Abjuration before the Rector. This meant that he was irrevocably committed to the crime, and his life and goods were forfeit, but he was allowed a little time to fulfill his vow and leave the country. Sanctuary was finally abolished in 1773. The Church of St. Olave is the junction of Hart Lane, Crutcheffields, and Seething Lane.

Every body knows Trafalgar Square, the Nelson Column, Landseer Lion, the National Gallery and the pigeons. But how many people are aware that the square is the largest in London? It is a police station, and that is a set of imperial standard measures of length and area that is on the north side of the square.

Almost in a straight line with St. James's is another square, the other side of Piccadilly, famous for society weddings, in what has been called "the ugliest church in London." Sir William Hamilton married Emma Lyon in 1791. Emma Lyon was a Leigh Hunt likened to a "horn granger" out of the church's neck." Sir William Hamilton married Emma Lyon in 1791. Emma Lyon was a Leigh Hunt likened to a "horn granger" out of the church's neck." Sir William Hamilton married Emma Lyon in 1791. Emma Lyon was a Leigh Hunt likened to a "horn granger" out of the church's neck."

The Safest Building

Skyscraper Might Save In Earthquake But Would Not Fall

The New York Herald Tribune says it is conceivable that at some future time a disturbance originating in distant countries might give New York City itself something more than a mild jolt. In that case plaster and ornamentation would fall, and the walls and chimneys of older brick buildings might suffer real damage. But engineers are agreed that the safety factor in modern buildings of steel construction is sufficient to withstand even a violent shock from an earthquake. The skyscrapers might sway; they would never topple.

Fun To Make

This rag looks like a movable army and legs—she's dressed in real baby style from "daddy" to "bennet." Youngsters will love her.



By Alice Brooks

This doll and delight a kiddie here or abroad. Pattern 7173 contains a transfer pattern and instructions for doll and clothes. To obtain this pattern send twenty cents in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) to Household Arts Department, Wimping Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Avenue E., Winnipeg, Man. Be sure to write plainly your name, address and pattern number. "Because of the slowness of the mails we cannot guarantee to take a few days longer than usual."

JUST ZERO

The small community was aware that the Jones couple did not see eye to eye on many things. The wife of the village was delegated to speak to them.

"You know, my dear Jones, that you and your wife should be as one. As a matter of fact we are as one," replied the other lady. "She's the one and I'm the nought."

There are nearly 8,000 languages in the world. 258

Jays has thunderstorms on an average of 225 days every year.

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Sir Humphrey Rolleston, 82, physician to the late King George V, died at his home in Haslemere, Surrey, Eng.

The Chinese army suffered a total of 2,802,220 casualties from July 7, 1937, to June 30, 1944, in their fight against the Japanese.

The Longhore Helios rescued a steamer and her crew of 75 in a dense fog and piloted her to Longhore, Orkneys, Scotland.

Australia spent £110,000,000 (about \$440,000,000) on reciprocal aid to United States armed forces in the southwest Pacific during the last financial year.

Sydney Cunn, inventor and designer of the famous Hurricane airplane, has designed a safe, speedy, featherweight bicycle for use after the war.

The Canadian government has card-indexed Eskimos to save them from extinction. At present, there are only 4,000 Eskimos alive as compared to 7,000 in 1927.

Canadian-born Air Vice-Marshal Victor Hubert Tait, director-general of signals at the Air Ministry since 1942, has been named a Knight Commander of the Order of the British Empire.

Airships used by United States Navy personnel brought from the depths of Sydney harbor the tug Hero sunk three years ago in a collision. The Hero had been used in the harbor for 57 years.

Off duty for the day, two railway construction men left their camp near Guilford, Australia, for a walk in the bush. They picked up a nugget of gold which they sold for nearly \$200 (\$720).

Traffic Signs

Yellow And Black Said To Be Best Color Combination

The day may soon come when yellow-and-black traffic and warning signs will replace the traditional black-and-white markings on highways and in cities, color experts believe. Yellow and black has been found to be a color combination of much greater visibility under all conditions.

The idea seems to have been developed by the army during the war years, and most army warning signs now are done in yellow and black when the greatest possible all-around visibility is needed. Civilian trucks carrying explosives also carry yellow and black checkerboard warnings at the rear.

One of the most interesting examples of the new trend in traffic marking can be found on the ramp leading from St. Catherine Street to the new Central Station of Canadian National Railways in Montreal. There, yellow and black markings around a traffic island stand out in vivid contrast to the white markings surrounding signs in black and white.

The success of the new safety markings in increasing traffic safety has led color experts to believe that eventually level-crossing gates, city safety zones and highway traffic signs will blossom out in yellow and black for increased visibility.

That color markings can do much to avert accidents has long been a recognized fact among safety men. As H. G. Foster, general manager of the Ontario Safety League, puts it: "Paint unquestionably contributes materially to the prevention of accidents."

Mr. Foster believes also that every car should have a dash of white paint at the back, and that luminous paint is necessary for markings on Canadian highways.

"I have always been of the opinion that every motor car and truck should have some white paint on the rear end," he says. "This would undoubtedly reduce the number of rear-end crashes, particularly at night when vehicles are sometimes required to park on highways when out of order."

"A need on Canadian highways also, is luminous paint to give better direction at night to drivers possessed of doubtful eyesight."

MANY LIKE HIM

A newspaper in speaking of a deceased citizen, said: "We have lost an old Ter Par Cent. The more he had the less he spent. The more he got the less he lent. He died; we don't know where he went, but if his soul to heaven is sent—he'll own the harp and charge 'em rent." Western Retailer.

Sound recording by magnetism on fine steel file may possibly supplant Braille as the vehicle for books for the blind. 258

First Wedding On Hospital Ship



When Staff Sgt. Carroll Herbert, National West India fleet. The officiating clergyman was the ship's chaplain, Capt. E. Wrighton, Toronto. The bride was given in marriage by Lt.-Col. A. Cornish, of Prince Rupert, B.C. Officer Commanding. The ceremony was held on the ship's reception deck before a flag-draped altar, was attended by ship's personnel and special guests and the ship's orchestra played the wedding march.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

OCTOBER 8
JESUS' PROGRAM FOR MEETING LIFE'S PROBLEMS

Golden text: Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God. Matthew 4:4
Lesson: Matthew 4:1-11; 6:24-34.
Devotional Reading: Hebrews 2:10-18.

Explanations and Comments.
The Relative Importance of Jesus' baptism in the Jordan was speedily forgotten by his temptation in the wilderness. We are very familiar with the temptations and their solution. The temptation to relieve hunger by turning stones into bread was met with a word from Deuteronomy 8:3. The hunger of the body is not the supreme hunger; the hunger of the soul is. Jesus believed in the subordination of physical hunger to the higher hunger of the spirit. "Our anxiety," he said, "shall be for the things which are more important than food." He focused all wrong. We are anxious about what we shall eat and drink and what we shall put on. That makes the body the master instead of the minister. Shift the anxiety to the seeking of the kingdom of God by the body falls into its right position as minister.

Jesus Would Have Us Avoid Anxiety by Seeking First the Kingdom. Matthew 6:33-34. He is not therefore anxious about food or drink or clothing, for which the Gentiles are seeking, for you are children of a Heavenly Father who knows that you have need of all these things, and being infinitely better than an earthly father, will provide these things for you. "Anxiety is irrelevant. It is a practical heathenism, natural to Gentiles, but irrelevant in the Heavenly Father's children." (David Smith.)

But seek ye first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things (food and drink and raiment) shall be added unto you. The promise is interpreted by David's testimony (Ps. 37:25), and by Paul's experience and assurance (Phil. 4:11, 19). So interpreted, it proves it true: those who give themselves wholly to God's service often live in poverty, but they rarely or never suffer for want of necessary food and raiment.

Be not therefore anxious for the morrow: for the morrow will be anxious for itself. The day's own task is quite enough for the day (Matthew 6:34).

Was Curious

Village Blacksmith in England Investigates A Bomb

The British public is extremely curious but it is apt to be rather foolish on occasions.

A friend of mine, a colonel of artillery, was stopped while driving through his native Sussex by a village blacksmith, who wanted him to come and see "something queer in the woods."

It was a bomb. The blacksmith, who was carrying a hammer, had been trying to find out if the thing was dangerous by hitting it with his hammer.

My friend told him the inquiry seemed waste, because if the bomb could answer "yes" he could never have known the answer—London Dispatch.

ENJOYED CONCERT

Two famous British artists, Leon Goswami, oboist, and Ivor Newton, pianist, chose a strange location for a concert of classical music. They played before an audience of 200 crowding a public house at Sheffield, England.

Old Theory Assailed

Nutrition Director Says Drinking Milk Does Not Assure Sound Teeth

Dr. L. B. Pett, Health Department director of nutrition, has torpedoed some old beliefs about teeth. Addressing an Eastern Ontario dental convention, he said that milk drinking doesn't necessarily assure sound teeth, for persons who drank plenty of milk often suffered decayed teeth.

He also didn't think much of the old saw that mothers lost a tooth for every child. He had seen mothers with good sets of teeth and lots of children.

Surveys showed children with the soundest teeth lived on a consistent diet of reasonable quantities of milk, suitable and adequate quantities of vitamin C, or some other source of vitamin C, such as citrus fruits or tomatoes, he said.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



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ANSWER: Wrong. Washington is southwest of Ottawa.

REG'LAR FELLERS—Member in Good Standing



Health LEAGUE OF CANADA presents TOPICS OF VITAL INTEREST

HEALTH PROBLEMS

The greatest single cause of poverty is sickness, and the problems arising from poverty will never be solved until the problems of sickness are solved. Dr. Gordon Bates said in an address at Toronto.

Dr. Bates, general director of the Health League of Canada, was addressing a meeting on behalf of Toronto's United Western Chest campaign and he emphasized the importance of voluntary effort in the health field in getting things done.

People must have a clear understanding of their national, provincial and local health problems and the relationship of health to social progress. With such a background of understanding they could influence their governments to push ahead modern health and social programs.

We must be organized to solve the problems of disease, human beings are embarrassed by a tradition to do nothing about sickness until it happens and when it does happen they haven't enough organization even to meet that problem.

We must be organized to the end that every individual must have medical, nursing and hospital care whether such care can be paid for or not," Dr. Bates said. "Public health machinery must be the best possible."

In the health field it must be recognized that the position of voluntary agencies is an essential part of disease prevention machinery. Without voluntary agencies there would be no progress. Such agencies provided the energetic assistance of people devoted to a cause. This was the kind of assistance which all progress governments should welcome.

WENT TOGETHER

Let the medical journals take note that in Lincoln, Neb., amazing things are being done in their field. In a story about an automobile collision, the Lincoln State Journal carried this paragraph:

"Miss Johnson sustained injuries to her forehead and knee. Both were taken to Lincoln General hospital and dismissed after treatment. And back they went, we presume, to their regular work—Editor and Publisher."

Going Too Far

Proposal For Ships Without Portholes Would Not Satisfy Passengers. An sinister note was sounded this week by the president of one of the country's biggest shipbuilding companies. We say "sinister," because if somebody doesn't do something about it, the man's proposal may be taken seriously and we shall find ourselves crossing the ocean after the war in ships without portholes. He says future passenger ships may have no portholes, but be air conditioned throughout.

There are some things even the electronic post-war world cannot get out of business. The wavering light on the ceiling reflected from sea water is one of them. Another is the mighty swirl of green water around a D-deck porthole in heavy weather. Then there is the whip of the sea wind through an open porthole and the sight of a far horizon rising and just as slowly falling when you wake on a morning at sea.

We say, let there be no more talk of porthole-less passenger ships—Christian Science Monitor.

Buy War Savings Stamp regularly.

The Flying Dustbins

British Weapon Breaks Down Formidable Steel Or Concrete Obstacles. "Flying Dustbins," a new British secret weapon, made the first breach in Hitler's vaunted Atlantic wall defenses along the Normandy coast on D-Day. It was disclosed.

The "Flying Dustbin," so nicknamed by the Royal Engineers, is a powerful concrete-smashing bomb fired by their "armored vehicle, Royal Engineers"—or "Ave"—a vehicle specially designed to breach the Atlantic Wall, the Siegfried Line and similar fortifications.

The new weapon is credited with the saving of many lives as it breaks down formidable steel or concrete obstacles to ease the path of following infantry.

It is described as being generally similar to a Churchill tank, and carries a crew of engineers together with specially-arranged explosive charges to ease in assault demolitions.

The ears of an African elephant are large while those of the Indian variety are comparatively small.

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LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"All you have to see in the sky is a speck and right away you know how many motors it has and all you need to do is put your cap when it's right under your nose."

BY GENE BYRNES



